The Somerset Herald.

GEORGE R. SCULL, Editor.

THURSDAY January 29, 1890.

...ll new drugs at Snyders.

...ilet Articles at Young's Drug Store.

...ore's Motto, "Purity and Accuracy."

...at Snyder's drug store for eye-glasses

...ve your coal from the Somerset Dairy

...ne of all kinds at John N. Snyder's

...e Somerset Dairy Co. fills all orders for promptly.

...R. Young, the Leading Druggist, for Family Medicines.

...Prescriptions and Family Receipts filled ...ung's Drug Store.

...ond Alum Salt, one dollar per sack, ...ale by Mahlon Schrock.

...ory's Toilet Soaps at Young's Drug ...Store.

...Tom Cakes for 25 cents.

...ve your California evaporated fruit from ...Schrock; he keeps the best.

...You can save money if they will buy ...ood from the Somerset Dairy Co.

...You want to save money if so buy ...ood from the Somerset Dairy Co.

...Ruskin, the great leader in English ...literature, has become hopelessly in-

...of the Somerset Dairy Co's. office and ...ve on coal before purchasing elsewhere.

...You want good, clean Western Oats buy ...of Mahlon Schrock. He sells as cheap ...as the cheapest.

...not be deceived, but buy genuine Min-...ral Wool from Mahlon Schrock. It is a ...spring patent, warranted.

...Schrock's delivery wagon is seen ...in streets daily, delivering Groceries, ...and Feed to his many patrons.

...financial report for 1889 for Lancaster ...shows a balance in the treasury of ...$78 after expending $340,631.76.

...sighted persons should remember ...John N. Snyder, the druggist, can fur-...them with glasses to suit their eyes.

...Furst, of Huntingdon county, de-...that the constables elected last year ...at one year, while those to be elected ...hereafter have a three years' term to serve.

...You want a Hagerstown or Lancaster ...ham, English or German, go to Fisher's ...for it, or send ten cents to Chas. ...Fisher, Somerset, and have one mailed ...you.

...Hughes, a Reading peddler, is hauled ...into streets by a team of goats. A big ...dog attacked them a few days ago, and ...broke on a vacation while his goats are ...grazing.

...Sponge will bring for his new church ...from the Jordan, a stone from ...Calvary, a stone from Mount Sinai ...where from Mars Hill, Athens, where ...he is supposed to have preached.

...Have on hand a large number of good ...wheels we will sell in quantities to suit ...purchaser. Prices very reasonable. Yard ...in the planing mill.

HOLBROOK BROS. & PARSON.

...J. B. McAfee, of Greensburg, who ...for a long time in delicate health, ...looking along the railroad west of ...Pittsburg last week, fell down the em-...bankment from weakness but sustained no ...injury.

...Going to the return from their honey-...moon of a couple living in the vicinity, a ...Pittsburg paper says they were given a ser-...enade that was "hilarious if not unbecom-...ing. Much cider was drunk and damage ...done."

...Skins and Furs. I will pay the highest ...price for all kinds of hides, pelts and ...furs. Also want 500 cords of Rock Oak and ...Chestnut Bark. 100 cords wanted at once. ...Call on me at my residence, immedi-...ately west of the S. & C. Station.

H. G. CUNNINGHAM.

...Miss Elizabeth Cochrane, known as "Nel-...lie Bly," completed her round trip of the ...world on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The ...time of the journey was 72 days 6 ...hours and 10 minutes. The reception of the ...girl in Jersey City and New York was ...enthusiastic.

...Lancaster county Judge a few days ago ...fined a young fellow to pay a fine of ...$100, costs of prosecution and under-...went imprisonment of 40 days in the coun-...ty jail for giving a boy a drink of whisky on ...a excursion train one day last summer. ...This is a warning in this sentence that ...may suggest a better employment than ...filling the bottle to his neighbor's lips.

...The Mr. Margaret Dillard, in jail at ...Lancaster on complicity in the murder of her ...husband was informed that the board of ...pardons had voted to commute her sentence ...to imprisonment, she expressed great re-...lief. Bartholomew, who will hang, was ...not informed of the news, and said it was ...part of a scheme to hang him. He de-...clared he did not fire the shot that kill-...ed Snyder.

...The supreme court has decided an import-...ant case involving the Jefferson county ...claim to the use of the borough of Brook-...ville. Richard Arthur. It seems that one, ...Mr. Hosine, was injured by a fall on a dan-...gerous sidewalk in front of a property own-...ed by Mr. Arthur, and recovered a verdict of ...damages against the borough. The borough in ...turn sued the property owner to recover ...the amount of the verdict against it ...which it was compelled to pay. The ...supreme court decides that the property ...owner in such case is liable.

...The assessors of nearly two-thirds of the as-...sessments of Fayette county are in for 1890. ...They show a large increase in valuation. A large ...portion of the increase comes from dogs. ...One assessment shows that about 9,000 ca-...nines of various pedigrees make things howl ...in Fayette county at the cost of at least $5,000 ...in taxes. Dunbar is the banner town-...ship, leading the list with 1,000 legalized ...curs. Uniontown has 241, while George ...township contains 300 yelping curs of vari-...ous breeds. The assessors have not com-...pleted posting of the books, but it is es-...timated that the valuation will reach $30,...000,000 or $40,000,000 over last year.

...Wanted at Once.

...Good cows, with calf at foot. Short-...horns or pure Jersey preferred, but any good ...cows giving not less than three gallons of ...milk per day, will do. Good prices given ...for the cows. Write at once to

DR. M. DIEHL,
Leisuring, Fayette Co., Pa.

...Wanted.

...Able bodied men for the Regular Army ...may apply at the Recruiting Rendezvous, Cor-...ner Fifth & Clinton St., Johnstown, Pa.

J. H. Gageby,
Capt. 3, Infantry
Recg. Officer.

...For Sale.

...Offer for sale a very good full-blood ...Jersey bull calf, three years old in May, ...next. He is a very promising colt, ...and will sell at a fair price and reasonable ...time. Call and see him, or inquire of

DR. DIEHL,
...Stonycreek Mills, 14 miles west of Lig-...onier, Somerset county, Pa.

Attorney Fred W. Biesecker is suffering from the "grippe."

Judge Baer, is holding an argument court in Bedford, this week.

Mrs. M. J. Pritts, is seriously ill with an attack of the "grippe."

Dr. A. J. Endsley is suffering from an aggravated attack of the "grippe."

Mr. George R. Scull last week sold his handsome sorrel horse to an eastern buyer.

Mr. John H. Benford, one of Johnstown's most prominent contractors, spent Sunday in Somerset.

It will cost $100,000 to put the famous stone bridge at Johnstown in the condition it was before the flood.

The handsome team driven by Dr. J. M. Luther excites the admiration of all lovers of good horses who see them.

A number of Somerset young ladies were present at a "hop" given by the young ladies of Meyersdale, Thursday evening.

H. L. Baer Esq., who has been confined to his house for the past week, with a serious attack of "La Grippe," is able to be about again.

Petitions for signatures are being circulated in Ligonier Valley, which will be presented to the Board of Pardons, on behalf of Joe and Dave Nicely, the convicted Umberger murderers.

A demented man wearing a long frock coat, was running in and out of the residences and offices of town Sunday, begging people to read to him from a large leather-bound bible that he carried under his arm.

Quite a little breeze of excitement was created in Somerset upon the arrival of the Pittsburgh papers Thursday morning, containing the announcement that Mr. Jas. C. Postlethwaite had withdrawn his application for the appointment of postmaster at this place.

In Johnstown it has been a disputed question as to whether hotel men will have to pay $500 license since the granting of the city charter, the charter not going into effect until after the licenses are granted. Auditor General McCamant settled the question when appealed to by deciding that the $500 would have to be paid.

The murder of Drover McCausland will cost Greene county upward of $10,000. The trial of Jim Neff, who was acquitted by a Washington county jury, cost Greene county $2,791.92. The trials of the Clarks will no doubt swell the cost to at least the first named amount. The murder of Herman Umberger, has already cost this county $2506.54.

In order to afford the teachers and pupils of the public schools of the State an opportunity to contribute to the fund to erect a suitable monument to the memory of the late Superintendent of Public Instruction, the schools are requested to observe Friday, Jan. 31st, as memorial day. Appropriate exercises are suggested and contributions to the fund made. It is very fitting that this should be done in honor of him who did so much for the cause of education.

Rev. Amos Sell, who has been an inmate of the county jail the past seven months was discharged Saturday morning. The term of his sentence expired on December 8th, and since that time he has been held in custody in the hope that the costs of the prosecution might be paid by him. He bade the prison authorities and his fellow inmates a tearful and prayerful good bye and took the first train for Ohio, where his family reside. We hope this is the last time we will ever have occasion to refer to his "reverence."

Mr. Alex Boreland, who represents the syndicate who purpose drilling for oil and gas near Sprucetown, Quemahoning township, spent an hour in the HERALD office Saturday evening. Mr. Boreland informed us that the material for erecting the derrick has been delivered and that work on it would be commenced Monday morning. His contract requires the well to be sunk three thousand feet and he expects that drilling, will be commenced in a few days. The syndicate are very sanguine that they will strike either oil or gas in paying quantities.

Somebody should stir up Governor Beaver. By the terms of the contract the demolition of the old rickety jail at Somerset will begin on April 1st. The county will have to hang the Nicely's in the mean time or take them elsewhere. By the terms of the sentence many Somerset county people believe they cannot be legally hanged elsewhere than in the old jail. The proper thing for the Governor to do is to either pardon the offenders or order their execution. Perhaps the Governor understands the case sufficiently to let the boys out on technicalities.—*Johnstown Democrat.*

Judging from the interest manifested by the farmers of the community in the Farmers' Institute to be held in the Court House on Tuesday and Wednesday February 11th and 12th, it is likely to be one of the important events of the season. We are glad to see farmers awaking to the importance of such meetings. The industry which they control lies at the very foundation of all prosperity and we are glad to note any indications of progress in this most important calling. We hope to see representative farmers from all parts of the county in attendance.

After mature deliberation Capt. C. J. Harrison, who has successfully managed the Somerset County Bank for the past thirteen or more years, decided to turn that institution into a National Bank, to be known as the Somerset County National Bank. At a meeting of the stockholders last week a board of thirteen directors was elected. The directors organized by electing C. J. Harrison, President; W. B. Frease, Vice President, and M. J. Pritts, Cashier. We understand the new bank will open it doors for business on February 3rd. After that date Somerset will have two National Banks, a thing that not many towns of its size can boast of.

John Oyler, one of the Harrison township, Bedford county gang of outlaws, several of whom were convicted of numerous robberies and are all serving terms, with the exception of Oyler who ran away while out on bail awaiting a motion pending a new trial returned Saturday and gave himself up to the Sheriff. Oyler said that he had been on the anxious list every day since he escaped, thinking that every person who approached him was an officer of the law.

The worry and the desire to see his wife and child got the better of him, and he concluded to serve his term in the penitentiary, and lead a better life.

Dennis Meyers, Esq., a member of the Somerset bar, died at his residence in this borough a few minutes after 10 o'clock Sunday night, in his forty-eighth year. Mr. Meyers contracted the grippe about two weeks ago, and after remaining in-doors several days thought he had conquered that strange disease and ventured out. For two or three days following he attended to his professional duties, when he was suddenly overtaken with rheumatic erysipelas, which speedily developed into typhoid pneumonia, resulting in his death.

He was the youngest son of the late Peter Meyers, of Meyersdale, and came to Somerset more than twenty years ago. Throughout the period of his residence in this town, with the exception of one or two brief intervals, he was always actively employed in the Prothonotary's office—having filled the position of Prothonotary for a term of three years himself, and it is safe to add that no man in the county had the same knowledge of the complicated duties connected with that office.

He was married to Mary, only daughter of the late Col. John R. Edie, who with an only son survive him.

The funeral took place at 2.30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, the services being conducted under the auspices of the Royal Arcanum, of which organization he was a prominent and active member.

The law abiding citizens of Somerset county are at a loss to account for the dilatoriness of his excellency Governor Beaver in setting the day for the execution of the two miserable men in our county jail under sentence of death. No one can regret more than we do that the peace of our quiet mountain town is to be shocked by the hanging of two human beings, but have we not been taught that the terror of the law lies in the promptness with which its decrees are carried into effect, and if the horror of a hanging is to take place in our midst, the sooner it is over the better.

It is now lacking but a few weeks of one year since Herman Umberger was foully murdered and robbed of a large sum of money. The arrest of Joseph and David Nicely speedily followed the perpetration of the crime. They were accorded a fair and impartial trial and were duly convicted. A new trial was refused them by the learned Judge who sat in the case, and his rulings were confirmed by the Supreme Court in an opinion of no uncertain meaning. Meanwhile, efforts had been made to create public sympathy for the convicted men among the people of this county, but the kindly efforts of these misadvised friends were discontinued after the murderous attack was made upon the deputy sheriff. Our county jail is notoriously the most unsafe in the Commonwealth, and the convicted men are only kept from regaining their liberty by the barbarous chains and balls that dangle from their feet, and the untiring vigilance of the prison authorities. It is common rumor throughout the county that when counsel for the Nicely brothers visited the executive mansion, his Excellency, in compliance with their request, agreed to defer naming the day of execution until after the January term of court, (or to suit their convenience.) It is also rumored that friends of the condemned men have petitions circulating throughout Westmoreland county to be used in their behalf before the Board of Pardons.

As said before, our people are at a loss to understand the dilatoriness of the Chief Executive in this matter, especially since it is known that he has seen fit to name the day for the execution of several murderers who were convicted subsequently to the Nicely boys.

Farmers' Institute.

EDS. HERALD: I wish through your paper to say a "last word" relative to the Farmers' Institute that convenes in Somerset on the 11th and 12th of February.

When the program was arranged, the fact that the train from the North did not arrive until 9:10 A. M., was overlooked by the committee, and in as much as it is desired to have as full an attendance at the meeting of the first session as possible, I take the liberty of changing the time for opening the Tuesday morning session from 9 o'clock to 9:30 A. M.

It was my privilege to meet all the gentlemen from other parts of the State, who have promised us their assistance, at the meeting of the State Board of Agriculture at Harrisburg last week; and all assure me that they will be on hand unless providentially detained. In addition to those whose names appear in the program Mr. J. B. Phelps, member of the State Board from Crawford, Co., who is a practical dairyman will be with us and ready as opportunity may offer to talk to us about this special industry or anything else relating to farming. This meeting will afford the farmers of Somerset county such an opportunity of exchanging views and conferring with each other as well as listening to practical men from abroad, as they have never had before, and no one who can possibly be present can afford to miss it.

I would call especial attention to the fact that this is not a meeting of farmers only, but of farmers' wives, and sons, and daughters as well. There is no class of men who receive so much help from their wives as farmers do, hence whenever it is possible, their wives should take part in their councils and receive their full share of all that is designed to increase their qualification for their calling, as well as that which goes to make up the pleasures that come into the farmers' life. And while I speak of the farmers' Institute as a meeting of farmers and their families I do not wish to be understood that persons of other callings are to have no place with us. We invite all to come. No class of men are sufficiently independent to stand alone. While we are seeking the light that will enable us to successfully answer for the world the questions "What shall we eat and what shall we drink and where withal shall we be clothed?" we can but feel the need of your help. Our interests to a very large degree are mutual. We dare not over-look the interdependence that belongs to all the honorable callings in which men and women are engaged. Our success will enhance yours, and your prosperity will add to ours. We must therefore to some extent at least, work together and we heartily invite all to come.

N. B. CRITCHFIELD,
Chairman of Committee.

Jenner X Roads, Pa., January 27th, 1890.

Somerset County Medical Association.

The Medical Association of Somerset county, met at the Rockwood House in Rockwood, Jan. 21st, 1890.

The President, Dr. S. S. Good, after calling the Association to order stated that it was his duty to announce the death of Dr. Henry Brubaker, Vice President and Dr. J. K. Miller, Corresponding Secretary of the Association. Also the deaths of Drs. J. E. Biesecker, Wm. S. Harrah, and J. Z. Bowman.

He eulogized at length upon the life and character of them all. He spoke of their devotion to their chosen profession, of their christian character and their self sacrifice in behalf of the comfort and welfare of those to whom they ministered.

They gave their lives, as it were, for humanity, and received comparatively little of this world's goods for compensation; they will live long in the memory of a grateful people.

The Association passed the following in regard to their death:

We humbly bow to the decree of Providence, and with a deep sorrow record the loss to this Association, to the county and the bereaved families, remembering that neither sorrow nor sympathy can repair the loss.

Resolved, therefore that it be entered upon the minutes of the Association, that we feel the irreparable loss to us all.

That we offer our profound sympathy to the bereaved families.

B. A. Fichtner,
Wm. F. Mitchell,
H. S. Kimmell,
Committee.

Midwinter Excursion to Washington City.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company announce a popular excursion to the National Capital on Thursday, January 30th. No better time could be chosen for a visit to the Capital. Congress will be in session, and the galleries of both Houses, as well as all other public buildings, will be open to visitors.

Tickets will be good for ten days, allowing ample time for visiting Alexandria, Mount Vernon, Richmond, Old Point Comfort and points of interest within easy reach of Washington.

For tickets and parlor or sleeping car accommodations, call upon or address Agents B. & O. R. R.

Parlor cars on day train, and sleeping cars on night train.

Information for Recruits.

In addition to the $13 per month for soldiers in the army, they receive about $200 as a clothing allowance. By economy a soldier can save from $50 to $75, which is paid him on his discharge. There are also Post schools where every soldier who desires, can acquire, free of cost, a fair English education. For particulars concerning increase of pay, etc., see posters in postoffice.

J. H. GAGEBY, Capt. 4th Infantry.

Look Out.

Remember, my bargain sale ends on the 15th of February. To get the cheapest dry goods ever sold in Somerset, people must come before that time.

MRS. A. E. UHL.

Joint Institute at Bethel.

The teachers of Paint and Conemaugh townships met in joint session, for the purpose of holding a district institute, at the Bethel school house, on Saturday, January 18, 1890.

Institute was called to order by the acting chairman, J. H. Fox, followed by the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

President, H. D. Naugle; Vice President, Ira Baer; Secretary, C. L. Speer, and Query Manager, Sydney Holsopple.

A song, entitled "Marching Along," was then sung by the Institute, led by H. D. Manges.

The above, and a number of Queries constituted the work of the forenoon session, and the Institute adjourned to meet again at 1:30 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION—1:30.

Institute was called to order promptly at the stated time.

Introductory remarks were made by the president, relating to the objects of District Institutes, followed by interesting impromptu speeches by M. M. Thomas, H. W. Manges and Ira Baer.

The subject of teaching primary Geography was then taken up by H. D. Naugle, in which he gave a number of very instructive and interesting suggestions.

Recitation, by N. E. Berkey, entitled "The Boys."

Song, "I Long to be There."

Intermission.

Song, "Mary and Martha."

The subject, "Preparation of the Pupil," was then taken up and discussed by M. M. Thomas.

The "Teachers' duties outside the school room" was discussed by Sidney Holsopple, and others.

The "Teacher's responsibilities," was discussed by Stephen Yoder.

Song, "Twilight is Falling."

Adjourned to meet at 7:15 p. m.

EVENING SESSION—7:15.

Institute opened promptly at 7:15, with a song, "Help it On."

Reading, M. H. Meyers.

The subject, "Work for Primary Pupils," was opened by Sidney Holsopple, followed by others.

"Neglect of Teachers in holding District Institutes," was discussed by M. M. Thomas, and others.

David Berkey talked on "Mistakes in Teaching."

A talk on "Co-operation in School Work" by S. G. Shetler, was appreciated and enjoyed by all.

Class drill, by C. L. Spencer.

Intermission.

Song and recitation, by S. J. Fitz, entitled, "The Last Fierce Charge of the Battle of Fredericksburg."

After the adoption of a number of resolutions, Institute adjourned.

C. L. SPENCER, Secretary.

BERLIN INSTITUTE.

Following is the program for a teachers' institute to be held at Berlin, on Friday and Saturday, February 6th and 7th, 1890.

Friday Evening Session.

Essay—Miss Lottie Krissinger.

Address—"Mistakes Concerning Education," by Rev. C. B. Gruver.

Exercises, by the pupils of Berlin schools. Music.

Saturday Afternoon Session.

"For what purpose should teachers read standard works on teaching?" N. B. Walker, Harvey Hay.

"Mental Arithmetic in our Schools," S. S. Forney.

"Primary Work," Miss Druse Brubaker.

"Friday Afternoon Exercises." J. H. Hentz, Lewis Walker.

"Importance of Written Reviews," C. M. Blough.

Recitation, Miss Flora Turner.

"What are the Evidences of a Good School?" P. U. Miller, W. R. Stahl.

"Should the Teacher be Guided by Public Opinion?" Prof. J. C. Speicher.

Paper, Miss Sadie Moore.

Class Drill in Numbers, Ida R. Plotts.

Co-operation in School Work, E. S. Frease.

Character Building, Rev. J. H. Null.

Concluding Remarks, Prof. J. M. Berkey.

The program will be interspersed by music, directed by Miss Ida Plotts.

Saturday Evening Session.

Lecture, "To and Fro in London," by John R. Clarke.

This lecture will be under the direction of the Berlin Lecture Committee.

Notice.

All persons knowing themselves indebted on our books will please call and settle at once, by cash or note. Accounts due must be closed to save costs.

PARKER & PARKER.

SOMERSET, PA., January 15, 1890.

Beachdale Items.

Brothersvalley has added two more spelling "bees" to its list.

Mr. J. R. Bittner paid a visit to Altoona this week, where he was examined for the R. R. service.

Miss Matrone Brant, who was confined to her bed with sickness, is again able to be about.

While on one of his hunting tours this week, Charles Hentz succeeded in bagging seven skunks. He is an experienced hunter, and never goes home empty handed.

The infant daughter of E. E. Brant died at an early hour last Thursday; her remains were transferred to the Beachdale cemetery.

P. U. Miller, the oldest teacher of this township, resigned his position as teacher of the Pine Hill school on account of bad health. Mr. Miller is an able teacher, and by his resignation Brothersvaly loses a consistent worker for the educational cause. The school board hired S. S. Forney, who will teach the remainder of the term.

The spring term of the Berlin Normal will be taught by Prof. S. D. Elrick, who is principal of the Berlin schools at present. Mr. Elrick has taught in many localities, and his career as a teacher is marked with success. We believe that through his efforts the Berlin Normal will reach a higher standard than ever before.

J. H. HENTZ.

Public Sale of Valuable Real Estate and Personal Property.

I will sell at public outcry, January 30, 1890, my farm, adjoining Berlin, Somerset county, Pa., containing 102 acres, in good cultivation, plenty of lime and coal on the place. Also a good sugar camp. Also on the same day will sell 5 head of horses, 31 head of cattleand a lot of farming implements.

P. J. COVER.

Milford Items.

Rough weather—cold and stormy.

County Superintendent Berkey spent last Thursday and Friday in Milford.

Some of our boys are wishing for just a little snow, so they could give their best girl a sleigh ride.

Preaching services were held in the Pleasant Hill church, last Sunday. Services were conducted by Rev. Stahl, assisted by Rev. Wm. S. Meyers.

A Granger meeting was held at 'Squire Walker's last Wednesday evening. Considering the rough roads and bad weather, the attendance was very good. Addresses were delivered by Messrs. Werner and Berkey, of Somerset.

OCCASIONAL.

The following letters remaining at the Somerset post office will be sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington, D. C., if not called for within ten days from this date, January 29, 1890:

Augustine, Ida M.; Bell, E. E. (2); Dallas, George; Margyle, Frank (2); Larman, Jeremiah; Michel, Charley; Shafer, A. L.; Shafer, Julia; Suiter & Cooner; Snydey, J. J. (2); Schrock, Mamie; Schanley, Manda; Yeager, Mary L.

J. K. COFFROTH, P. M.

For Sale.

A dwelling house of eight rooms, well located near railroad, upon the corner of Main and Walnut streets, Rockwood. Will sell low. Call on or address

A. EVANS, Rockwood.

Microbes for the Nicely Boys.

LANCASTER EXAMINER.

The Nicely brothers, convicted murderers, are suffering from the grip in its worst form, and the Somerset jail is overrun with visitors to see them. As hanging seems to be played out, why cannot we devise a plan to preserve some of the grip microbes, said to be discovered in Austria, and turn them loose on murderers when the Pardon Board fails to hang or pardon, but stands like an ass between two bundles of hay, not knowing which to bite at.

Resolutions of Sympathy and Respect

WHEREAS in the realm of God's, providential workings the hand of Death has claimed a beloved member of the Royal Arcanum, therefore be it.

Resolved, that with stricken hearts, we recognize in the death of Dennis Meyers, Esq., the loss of a faithful brother, useful citizen and genial companion.

Resolved, that we extend to the bereaved wife and son our tenderest sympathy, sharing with them as far as mortals can in this great loss.

Resolved, that we engross these resolutions on the minutes of our council, hand a copy to the stricken family, and have the published in the press of the town.

PETER VOGLE,
JOHN A. LAMBERT,
N. B. MCGRIFF,
GEO. R. SCULL,
H. C. BERKITS,
Committee.

Action in Relation to Death of Dennis Meyers.

On Sunday, January 26, 1890, Dennis Meyers, Esq. a member of the bar of Somerset county, quietly passed beyond the veil that separates the known from the unknown, at his house in Somerset, surrounded by his own weeping family, and numerous relatives.

Mr. Meyer's form will long be missed in and about the public offices in the County seat, where he has been a familiar figure for twenty years. He was perhaps more familiar than any man in the State with the duties of a Prothonotary and clerk of Courts.

Mr. Meyers, leaves to mourn his loss, a beloved and affectionate wife, and one son, Rufus Edie Meyers, a large number of relatives and a host of friends.

On Monday, January 27, the members of the bar met in the office of Hon. Wm. H. Koontz, for the purpose of taking suitable action relation to the death of Mr. Meyers.

Meeting organized; and Mr. Koontz nominated Gen. A. H. Coffroth as chairman, carried.

Mr. Koontz nominated A. C. Holbert as Secretary, carried.

A. J. Colborn Esq. moved that a committee of five be appointed to prepare suitable resolutions relative to the death of Mr. Meyers, and make any arrangements they might deem necessary for attendance of the bar as a body of the funeral, carried.

The chair appointed in accordance with the motion the following committee;

HON. WM. KOONTZ,
HON. A. J. COLBORN,
HENRY F. SCHELL, Esq.
JOHN UHL, Esq.
JNO. O. KIMMELL, Esq.

On motion members of the Bar requested to meet an half hour before the hour fixed for the funeral, viz: two p. m. Tuesday 28, January 1890, and the meeting stand adjourned to that hour. Carried, Tuesday 28 January 1890, members of the Bar met at the office of Hon. A. H. Coffroth, at 1:30 p. m. and the following resolutions were presented by Hon. Wm. H. Koontz.

WHEREAS, Dennis Meyers, Esq., a member of the Bar of Somerset county Pa., departed this life on Sunday night, she 26th, day of January A. D. 1890. Therefore be it follows: That in the death of our brother the bar has sustained a great loss. Although he did not come to the bar at an early age, his being experiences in the pulic offices, as Prothonotary, Clerk of the courts, &c., all of which he filled with eminent ability and fidelity, rendered him an extremely useful member of the profession, and his loss will be deeply felt by all connected with the public offices of the county.

That his liberal disposition and kind and generous nature endeared him to all his associates and friends, who, with his immediate family, mourn his untimely death, stricken down as he was in the prime of his life, and in the period of his greatest usefulness.

That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved family and relations.

That a copy of these resolutions be printed in the county papers, and a copy thereof be signed by the officers of this meeting and sent to his family.

W. H. KOONTZ,
A. J. COLBORN,
JOHN H. UHL,
JNO. O. KIMMEL,
HENRY F. SCHELL,
Committee.

A. C. HOLBERT, Secretary.

Consumption Surely Cured.

TO THE EDITOR:—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above-named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their Express and P. O. address. Respectfully, T. A. SLOCUM, M. C., 181 Pearl St., N. Y.

DIED.

POSTLETHWAITE—At the residence of her mother in Somerset borough, Miss Sidney Postlethwaite, on Thursday evening, January 23, 1890.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength, and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall St., N. Y. Jal17,'90 7t

COUNTY BONDS FOR SALE!

THE UNDERSIGNED Commissioners of Somerset County, Pa., offer for sale a series of 37 Coupon Bonds, bearing interest at the rate of four (4) per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the 15th days of June and December. The numbers, amounts, denominations and maturity of the bonds, are as follows:

Nos. 1 to 8, inclusive, $ 500, each falling due 15th December, 1890.
Nos. 9 to 13, inclusive, $1,000, each falling due 15th December, 1891.
Nos. 14 to 17, inclusive, $1,000, each falling due 15th December, 1892.
Nos. 18 to 19, inclusive, $2,000, each falling due 15th December, 1895.
No. 24, $5,000, falling due 15th December, 1895.
Nos. 25 to 32, $500, each falling due December 15, 1896.

Application must be made for these bonds at our office, in Somerset, not later than the 15th day of February, 1890.

D. E. WAGNER,
GEO. M. SEPP,
C. W. WILLIAMSON,
County Commissioners.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that appeals will be held from the assessments for 1890, at the Commissioners' Office, Somerset, for the several districts of the County, on

FEBRUARY 18th, 19th and 20th

when and where all persons and corporations feeling themselves aggrieved at the enumeration and valuation of their taxable property and effects made in such cases made and provided, are requested to attend and state their grievances for redress, according to law. The appeals will be held on the above mentioned days, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m.

D. E. WAGNER,
GEO. M. SEPP,
C. W. WILLIAMSON,
Commissioners.

Attest:—
A. J. HILEMAN,
Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs of Fi Fa and Lev Fa issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Somerset County, Pa., I will expose to public sale at the Court House, in Somerset, Pa., at 1 o'clock p. m., on

FRIDAY, FEBRY 21, 1890,

All the right, title, interest and claim of F. A. Domer, or, in, and to the following described real estate, viz:

All that part of a certain lot of ground situate in Meyersdale Borough, Somerset County, Pa., located on the corner of Large street and ... street, running from the main race to Flaherty creek, fronting 40 feet on Large street, and extending back south along ... st to Flaherty creek, said original lot No. 205, of which the above described is a part, having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house, etc., with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of F. A. Domer, at the suit of Harvey M. Berkley, Administrator of Emanuel Lichty, dec'd.

—ALSO—

All the right, title, interest and claim of Mrs. E. M. Tedrow, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain tract of land situate in Black Twp., Somerset County, Pa., adjoining lands of Harry Brant, Henry Sipe, Anthony Shoemaker, Valentine Hay, and others, containing 177 acres and allowance, having thereon erected a large two story dwelling house, barn, stone spring house, and other outbuildings, fruit, and never failing supply of water are on the premises, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Mrs. E. M. Tedrow, at the suit of G. J. Humbert.

—ALSO—

All the right, title, interest and claim of Luther A. Smith, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A certain lot of ground situate in Meyersdale Borough, Somerset County, Pa., fronting on Centre street 37 feet and running back 90 feet to lot of N. Silcer, the lot being bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on Centre street at a lot of Mrs. D. C. Meyers, Executrix of D. C. Meyers, deceased, thence south 55 feet to an alley or passage way, thence east 90 feet to lot of W. Silcer, thence north 55 feet to lot of Mrs. D. C. Meyers, thence west 90 feet to Centre street, the place of beginning, said lot being part of a lot that Wm. Silcer purchased from Mrs. D. C. Meyers, Executrix of D. C. Meyers, deceased, by deed bearing date April 1, 1882. (The above mentioned alley or passage way to be the joint property of the owner of this lot and the owner of the lot adjoining, by the order of Wm. Silcer, having thereon erected a two story brick, metal roofed, steam heated printing office, with boiler, steam fixtures, steam engine, steam power Adams and other presses, and other machinery, type, etc.

Taken in execution as the property of Luther A. Smith, at the suit of Peter C. Meyers, use of S. F. Meyers and W. F. Meyers, et al.

—ALSO—

All the right, title, interest and claim of Leu Ferrel, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

A house and lot of ground situate in New Centreville Borough, Somerset County, Pa., fronting on Main street, and bounded by lots of Jos. Stutzman on the West, and on the East by lots late of the estate of James M. Scott, with the appurtenances.

Taken in execution as the property of Leu Ferrel, at the suit of James Ferrel.

—ALSO—

All the right, title, interest and claim of Jacob R. Casselberry, of, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

No. 1. A tract of land situate in Elklick Township, Somerset County, Pa., containing four hundred and twenty-four acres, strict measure, bounded as follows, viz:

Beginning at a black oak in the line of land of Chas & Wilcox's "Negro Glade," thence extending south two hundred and sixty and five-tenths (260.5) perches to a sassafras, thence east along land of Berkley Moore two hundred and sixty perches and five-tenths (260.5) to a service, thence north along lands of Howard March two hundred and sixty and five-tenth perches (260.5-10) to a white oak, thence by Jesiah Corey East two hundred and sixty and five tenth (260.5-10) perches to a black oak, the place of beginning.

A tract of land situate in Elklick Township, warranted in the name of Martin Meyers for himself and in trust for himself and Levi Wolfensberger, containing four hundred and twenty-four acres, strict measure, bounded as follows:

Beginning at stones, thence by John and Thos. Cover, South one degree West (S. 1° W.) three hundred and sixty-five perches to a post. South eighty nine degrees West (S. 89° W.) fifty-two perches to a lynn, South one degree West (S. 1° W.) and that fifty-two perches (52) perches to stones. Thence by Moses Charey, North 89 degrees West (N. 89° W.) one hundred and ninety (190) perches to stones, North one degree East (N. 1° E.) fifty-two (52) perches to post. North eighty-nine degrees west (N. 89° W.) two hundred and fifty three perches (253) to post, thence by land of Martin Meyers North one degree East (N. 1° E.) two hundred and forty-two (242) perches to post, South sixty-three degrees East (S. 63° E.) twenty-nine (29) perches to stone, North seventy-four degrees (N. 74° W.) ten perches to post, south sixteen degrees East (S. 16° E.) forty perches to stones, South eighty nine degrees East (S. 89° E.) thirty-three perches to stones. South nineteen degrees East (S. 19° E.) twenty-seven (27) perches to poplar thence by Simon Gebhart's South ten degrees West (S. 10° W.) one hundred and forty perches to stones, South fifty degrees East (S. 50° E.) twenty (20) perches to post, South eighty-nine degrees East (S. 89° E.) one hundred and twenty-four (124) perches to a birch, thence by Chas & Wilcox "Last Cove" South seventy-four degrees West (S. 74° W.) seventy-one (71) perches to a chestnut, South sixteen degrees West (S. 16° W.) two hundred and twenty-eight perches to post, South seventy nine degrees West (S. 79° W.) one hundred perches to a chestnut, South eighty eight and one tenth (88.1-10) perches to a black oak, and thence by Enos Corey east two hundred and sixty five and five tenth (265.5-10) perches to place of beginning.

No. 8. The undivided one fourth (¼) interest, part or share of a tract of land situated in Elklick Township, containing four hundred and thirty five (435) acres and seventy (70) perches, strict measure, warranted in the name of James Corey, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a white oak, thence by Enos Corey West two hundred and twenty-four (224) perches to a pine, thence by Thomas Corey North two hundred and eighty perches to a post, thence by Robert Corey East two hundred and sixty and five tenth (260.5-10) perches to a spruce pine, thence by Ralph Charey South one hundred and ninety (190) perches to a post, thence by Ebenezer Griffith West thirty six perches to a maple, South ninety (90) perches to the place of beginning.

No. 9. A tract of land situate in Addison of Martin Meyers, for himself and in trust for himself and Levi Wolfensberger, containing four hundred and twenty-four acres, strict measure, bounded as follows:

Beginning at a post on the line of James Biddle, thence by Josiah Corey South thirty-four degrees West (S. 34° W.) one hundred and sixty-six perches (166) perches to a post, South nine degrees West (S. 9° W.) one hundred perches to a post, formerly a birch, thence by Thomas Corey North eighty-nine and a half degrees West (N. 89½° W.) eighty perches to a birch North nine degrees East (N. 9° E.) one hundred perches to a post, thence by "Negro Glade" North thirty-four degrees East (N. 34° E.) one hundred and sixty four perches (164) to stones, North fifty-six degrees West (N. 56° W.) two hundred and twenty three perches (223) to a post, thence by lands of Nancy K. Cherry, North thirty-four degrees East (N. 34° E.) fifty (50) perches to stone, North eighty-nine and a half degrees West (N. 89½° W.) two hundred and six perches to red oak, thence by John Mechtowk, North forty-five degrees East (N. 45° E.) sixty-three (63) perches to a post, North forty five degrees West (N. 45° W.) fifteen (15) perches to a post South eighty-nine and one-half degrees East (89½° E.) three hundred and eighty-three (383) perches to a post, South one-half degree West (S. ½° W.) seventy two (72) perches, thence North eighty nine degrees West (N. 89° W.) forty six perches to a post, thence South twenty and a half degrees West (S. 20½° W.) one hundred and six perches (106) to a chestnut, thence South eighty nine degrees East (S. 89° E.) sixty (60) perches, thence South eleven degrees East (S. 11° E.) fifty four and five tenth (54.